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74. (New) The method of any one of claims 54, 67-69, or 73 wherein said multimeric protein comprises a protection protein, said protection protein derived from a polyimmunoglobulin receptor.

75. (New) The method of claim 74 wherein said protection protein is derived from the group of polyimmunoglobulin receptors consisting of human, rat, mouse, rabbit, bovine, and combinations thereof.

76. (New) The microparticles of claim 70 collectively encoding a protein protein, said protection protein derived from a polyimmunoglobulin receptor.

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